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Second PROTEST, with a List of the Voters against the Bill to Repeal the American Stamp-Act of last Session.

S P E A K E R S.

Against the Repeal.

Lord Lyttelton
Earl of Bute
Earl Gower.

For the Repeal.

Duke of Newcastle.

Die Lunæ, 17^o Martii, 1766.

The Order of the Day being read for the third Reading of the Bill, entitled, *An Act to repeal an Act made in the last Session of Parliament, entitled, An Act for granting certain Stamp Duties, and other Duties in the British Colonies and Plantations in America, towards defraying the Expenses of defending, protecting, and securing the same, and for amending such Parts of the several Acts of Parliament relating to the Trade and Revenue of the said Colonies and Plantations, as direct the Manner of determining and recovering the Penalties and Forfeitures therein mentioned.* Then the said Bill was read a third Time, and it being proposed to pass the Bill, the same was objected to. After some Debate thereupon, the Question was put, whether the said Bill shall pass: It was resolved in the Affirmative.

F I R S T.

Discontent.

BECAUSE we think, that the declaratory Bill we passed last Week, cannot possibly obviate the growing Mischief in America, where it may seem calculated only to deceive the People of Great-Britain, by holding forth a delusive and nugatory Assurance of the legislative Right of this Kingdom, whilst the enacting Part of it does no more than abrogate the Resolutions of the House of Representatives in the North American Colonies, which have not in themselves the least Colour of Authority, and declares, that which is apparently and certainly criminal, only null and void.

SECONDLY. Because the particular Objections, which have been made to the Stamp-Act in North-America, and which have been adopted in the Course of the Debates upon this Bill for repealing it, are, in Fact, contradicted by undeniable Evidence upon our Table; it having been urged: First, That all the Money to be collected by this Tax, was to be annually remitted hither, and that the North-American Colonies would be thereby drained of all their Specie; and, Secondly, that the Institution of Vice-Admiralty Courts, in those Colonies, for the Recovery of Penalties upon Revenue Laws without Juries, is a novel Practice by Means of which his Majesty's Subjects in those Dominions, would be deprived of one of their most valuable Liberties, Trials by Juries, and in this Respect distinguished from their Fellow Subjects in Great-Britain; and would likewise be liable to the greatest Inconveniences, Vexation, and Injustice, through the Option left to any Prosecutor to call them from one End of that extensive Continent to the other; and thro' the Temptation to the Judge, to condemn rather than to acquit, from his being paid by Poundage of the Condemnation Money. Whereas with regard to the first of these Objections, it appears by the Minute of the late Board of Treasury laid before this House, and dated on the 9th Day of July last, that the fullest Directions had been sent to the several Officers of the Revenue, "That in Order to obviate the Inconvenience of bringing into this Kingdom the Money to be raised by the Stamp-Duties, all the Produce of the American Duties, arising, or to arise, by Virtue of any British Act of Parliament, should from Time to Time be paid to the Deputy-Paymaster in America, to defray the Subsistence of the Troops, and any military Expenses incurred in the Colonies." And with regard to the second Objection, it is manifest, from sundry Acts of Parliament, that a Jurisdiction has been assigned to the Judges of those Courts, for the Recovery of Penalties upon the Laws of Revenue and of Trade, without Juries, for near a Century past, from the Consideration (as we apprehend) that in some of the Colonies they are the only Judges not elected by the People: And so far is it from being true, that the Subjects in North-America, by being deprived in these Cases of Trials by Juries, were in that Respect distinguished from their Fellow Subjects in Great-Britain, that, in this very Instance of the Stamp-Duties, the Penalties, which by the American Stamp-Act were made recoverable without a Jury before a Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court, are by the Laws now in Force for collecting the Stamp-Duties in Great-Britain, recoverable also without a Jury, before two Justices of the Peace, with the like Power in both Cases, which we earnestly wish were not still more necessary for the Collection of this publick Revenue in America than in Great-Britain; and which we should be most desirous, if possible, to alleviate in both Countries: With this View, and to take away all just Occasion for Discontent, we were glad to find by the Representation from the late Commissioners of the Treasury to his Majesty in Council, dated on the 4th Day of July last, that the strictest Attention had been given by that Board to prevent the Inconvenience and Injustice above mentioned, by a Plan to establish three different Courts of Vice-Admiralty at the most convenient Places, with proper Districts annexed to each; and to give the Judges sufficient and honourable Salaries in Lieu of all Poundage and Fees whatsoever: But we cannot observe, without the highest Concern and Surprise, that this Representation founded upon a Clause inserted in the Stamp-Act

for this very Purpose, and expressly calculated to relieve his Majesty's Subjects in North-America from many unnecessary Hardships and Oppressions, to which they are now liable by many other Laws still subsisting, should be totally disregarded for several Months, and be suffered to remain unexecuted in every Part of it even to this Day; and that no Notice whatever should be taken, in any of the Dispatches from the present Administration to the Governors of the Colonies in North-America, of the timely Care which had been employed to obviate the Objections raised on both those Heads: Especially, as it is notorious, that the Measures to be pursued, in Consequence of that Minute and Representation, had been fully opened and approved in Parliament, at the Time when the Stamp-Act was proposed; and as the total Neglect of it has given Occasion to great Clamour and Disaffection in the Colonies. We cannot help further observing, that, as the Stamp-Act was not to take Place till the first of November, if the Parliament had been called early, their Determinations, either for enforcing or repealing that Law, would probably have delivered the Merchants and Manufacturers here from all the Difficulties and Distresses to which they have been for so many Months exposed; nor would the Disorders in America, where all Government is prostrate, have risen to so great a Height, or taken so deep a Root.

THIRDLY. Because, the Argument which has been used in Favour of this Bill of Repeal, that the Experiment of the Stamp-Act has been tried, and has failed, is extremely ill-founded; as it manifestly appears from the whole Tenor of the Papers laid before us, that if this Experiment had been properly tried, with the same Zeal for its Success, with which it was first proposed, it would not have failed in any of the Colonies: And this was the Opinion of the greater Part of the Governors in North-America, and of many of the most intelligent and respectable Persons in those Provinces, for some Time after this Act was passed, is evident beyond a Doubt, from the Letters of the former now upon our Table, and from the latter having applied for, and accepted the Office of Distributor of the Stamps under that Act, which they certainly would not have done, and thereby have exposed their Lives and Fortunes to the Violences and Outrages which they have since undergone, if they had thought the Success of this Measure in any Degree precarious, nor have we heard of any Impracticability attending the Law in Jamaica and Barbados, and some other of the West-India Islands, or in those of our Colonies in North-America where it has been executed.

FOURTHLY. Because, a Precedent of the two Houses of Parliament lending their Power, from Motives of Fear or Impatience under a present Uneasiness, to overturn in one Month, a Plan of Measures undertaken with their warmest Approbation and Concurrence, after the most mature Deliberation of two Years together, for the Improvement of our Revenue, and the Relief of our People, will effectually discourage all Officers of the Crown in America from doing their Duty, and executing the Laws of this Kingdom; and is enough to deter future Ministers, in any Circumstances of Distress or Danger to their Country, from opposing their Fortitude and Zeal for the Service of the Public, to strong Combinations of private and particular Interests, to the Clamour of Multitudes, or the Malice of Faction; which must necessarily bring on such a Weakness and Pusillanimity in the Administration of Government, as will soon end in the Downfall and Ruin of the State.

LASTLY. Because, the Repeal of this Law under the present Circumstances, will, we fear, not only surrender the Honour and essential Interests of the Kingdom now and for ever, both at Home and Abroad, but will also deeply affect the fundamental Principles of our Constitution; for if we pass this Bill against our Opinion, from the Threats and Compulsion publicly avowed in our Colonies; and enforced by the most unjustifiable Means within Great-Britain, we disclaim that legislative Authority over the Subjects, which we own ourselves unable to maintain. If we give our Consent to it here, without a full Conviction that it is right; merely because it has passed the other House, by declining to do our Duty on the most important Occasion which can ever present itself, and where our Interposition, for many obvious Reasons, would be peculiarly proper; we in effect annihilate this Branch of the Legislature, and vote ourselves useless. Or, if by passing this Bill, we mean to justify those, who in America, and even Great-Britain, have treated a Series of British Acts of Parliament as so many Acts of Tyranny and Oppression, which it is scarcely criminal to resist; or those Officers of the Crown, who, under the Eye, and with the Knowledge of Government, have taken upon themselves, whilst the Parliament was sitting, without its Consent, to suspend the Execution of the Stamp-Act, by admitting Ships from the Colonies, with unstamped Clearances, to an Entry, in direct Violation of it, which from the Papers upon our Table appears to have been done; we shall then give our Approbation to an open Breach of the first Article of that great Palladium of our Liberties, the Bill of Rights; by which it is declared, "That the pretended Power of suspending of Laws, or the Execution of Laws, by legal Authority, without Consent of Parliament, is illegal." LASTLY. If we ground our Proceedings upon the Opinion of those who have contended in this House, that from the Constitution of our Colonies, they ought never to be taxed, even for their own immediate Defence, we fear that such a Declaration, by which near a fifth Part of the Subjects of Great-Britain, who by the Acts of Parliament to restrain the Pressing of Seamen in America, are already exempted from furnishing Men to our Navy, are to be forever exempted from

contributing their Share towards their own Support in Money likewise, will, from the flagrant Partiality and Injustice of it, either depopulate this Kingdom, or shake the Basis of Equality, and of that original Compact, upon which every Society is founded; and as we believe, that there is no Instance of such a permanent Exemption of so large a Body of the Subjects of any State, in any History, ancient or modern, we are extremely apprehensive of the fatal Consequences of this unhappy Measure; to which, for these Reasons, in Addition to those contained in the first Protest of the 10th of this Month, our Duty to our King, and Justice to our Country, oblige us to enter this our solemn Disent.

Temple, Abercorn, Searisdale, J. Bangor, Trevor, Hyde, Marlborough, Sandwick, Charles Carlisle, Weymouth, Thomas Bristol, William Gloucester, Buckinghamshire, R. Dureline, Dudley and Ward, Suffolk and Berkshire, Leigh, Bridgewater, Gower, Grosvenor, Powis, Ker, Lyttelton, Essex, Ferrers, Aylesford, Vere, Eglington. A List of the Lords who voted and protested against the AMERICAN STAMP-ACT, March 11, 1766.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, first Brother to the King.

Duke of Beaufort.
Duke of Bedford. *Protested.*
Duke of Marlborough. *Protested.*
Duke of Ancaster, *Master of the Horse to the Queen.*
Duke of Bridgewater. *Protested.*
Earl of Pembroke, *Colonel of the first Regiment of Dragoons.*
Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire. *Protested.*
Earl of Denbigh, *a Lord of the King's Bed-Chamber.*
Earl of Sandwich. *Protested.*
Earl of Litchfield, *Captain of the Band of Pensioners, &c.*
Earl of Coventry, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber.*
Protested.
Earl of Oxford, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber.*
Earl Ferrers, *a Captain of the Royal Navy.* *Protested.*
Earl of Aylesford. *Protested.*
Earl of Halifax. *Protested.*
Earl of Macclesfield.
Earl Ker, *Duke of Roxburgh in Scotland.* *Protested.*
Earl Waldegrave, *Governor of Plymouth, and Colonel of the 2d Regiment of Dragoons.*
Earl of Oxford, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber, and Ranger of St. James's and Hyde Parks.* *Protested.*
Earl of Warwick.
Earl Gower. *Protested.*
Earl of Buckinghamshire, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber.* *Protested.*
Earl of Powis. *Protested.*
Earl of Northumberland, *Vice-Admiral of all America.*
Earl Temple. *Protested.*
Earl Harcourt, *Chamberlain to the Queen.*
Earl of Guilford.
Earl Talbot, *Steward of the King's Household.*
Viscount Say and Sale.
Viscount Townshend, *Lieutenant-General of Ordnance, and Colonel of the 18th Regiment of Foot.* *Protested.*
Viscount Weymouth. *Protested.*
Viscount Boscawen. *Protested.*
Viscount Dudley and Ward. *Protested.*
Lord La Despencer.
Lord Botetourt.
Lord Leigh. *Protested.*
Lord Byron.
Lord Trevor. *Protested.*
Lord Montfort.
Lord Vere. *Protested.*
Lord Hyde. *Protested.*
Lord Mansfield, *Chief Justice of the King's Bench.*
Lord Lyttelton. *Protested.*
Lord Grosvenor. *Protested.*
Lord Searisdale. *Protested.*
Lord Beaulieu.
Earl of Eglington, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber.* *Protested.*
Earl of Abercorn. *Protested.*
Earl of London, *Governor of Edinburgh Castle, and Colonel of the 10th Regiment of Foot.*
Earl of March, *a Lord of the King's Bed Chamber.*
Earl of Bute, *Rangeon of Richmond Park.*
Lord Cathcart, *First Lord of Police in Scotland.*
Bishop of Durham. *Pro. second Protest.*
Bishop of Chester.
Bishop of Rochester.
Bishop of Bangor. *Protested.*
Bishop of Gloucester. *Protested.*
Bishop of Carlisle. *Protested.*
Bishop of Bristol. *Protested.*
P R O X I E S.
Duke of Cleveland, *Comptroller of the Seal, &c.*
Earl of Essex, *Pro. second Protest.*
Earl of Tankerville.
Earl of Darlington, *Master of the Jewel Office and Governor of Carlisle.*
Lord Craven.
Lord Fortescue.
Lord Vernon.
Earl of Sutherland, *Colonel of a Battalion of Highlanders.*
Earl of Rothes, *Colonel of the 3d Regiment of Foot-Guards.*
Governor of Duncannon Fort, &c.
Bishop of Hereford.
The Bishop of Durham was absent at the Time of signing the first Protest on the 11th, but his Lordship signed the second Protest, as did also the Earl of Essex, who had voted by Proxy.

LONDON, April.

A Letter from Madrid, dated the 26th of March, gives an Account, "That some of the Officers charged with putting in Execution a Decree, prohibiting the Use of long Cloaks, and round or flouched Hats, having disobeyed their Orders, a Mob arose on Sunday Night the 2nd of the said Month, who committed the greatest Insults and Excesses, and even advanced in Sight of the King's Palace; but having been convinced of their unwarrantable and unlawful Proceedings, begged his Majesty's Pardon and Forgiveness, which was offered to them, and immediately Complaints were changed into Huzzas and Acclamations of Joy. But as the King went the next Day with the Royal Family to his Palace of Aranjuez, to pass the holy Week, the Populace began to rise again, fearful of their being chastised for the Outrages they had committed, and that the Pardon granted them would not be observed; but such were the cautious Measures taken for the re-establishing Peace among them, that every Thing now remains as quiet as if no Disturbance at all had ever appeared."

April 12. Yesterday his Majesty went to the House of Peers, attended by the Earls Delaware and March; when he gave the Royal Assent to the following Bills, viz.

The Bill to raise 1,200,000 l. by Loans on Exchequer Bills, for the Service of the present Year.

The Bill for repealing certain Taxes and Duties on Cyder and Perry, and for granting other Rates and Duties in Lieu thereof. And,

The Bill for the Improvement of Tillage.

They write from Paris, that the French King had ordered all the late Impôts, laid by Count d'Artois on the Inhabitants of St. Domingo in the West Indies to be taken off; and a general Amnesty to be published, inviting those who had abandoned the Island to return to their Allegiance.

A Prohibition of all Kinds of Provisions, excepting to British Colonies, and his Majesty's Garrisons abroad, we are informed, will take place, for a limited Time, this Session.

CHARLES-TOWN, JUNE 17.

ON Wednesday Evening last, his Excellency the Right Hon. Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, Governor in Chief of this Province, his Lady and Family, arrived here in the Ship Fonthill, Matthias Kitchen, Master, from England. His Excellency was immediately saluted by a Discharge of the Cannon of Fort Johnson, and the Forts and Batteries in Town. Thursday Morning was observed in with the Ringing of Bells, the Colours were displayed, the Militia were drawn up in Broad-street, forming two Lines, between which his Lordship, who was received at his Landing by two Members of his Majesty's Council, walked to the State-House, being preceded by the Light Infantry, commanded by Captain Thomas Savage. At the State-House his Excellency was received by another Deputation of his Majesty's Council, and being conducted into the Council-Chamber, where his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor received him, his Majesty's Commission, appointing his Lordship Captain-General, &c. was read; and his Excellency, attended as before, and accompanied by his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, &c. walked to Granville's Station, where the Artillery Company, commanded by Captain Christopher Gadsden, was posted; his Majesty's Commission was again read and published, after which was a general Discharge of the Cannon, answered by Volleys of Small Arms. His Excellency returned to the State-House preceded as before by the Light Infantry, of whom his Lordship expressed his Approbation in very genteel Terms, and also of the Artillery Company.

His Excellency the Governor, with his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the Members of his Majesty's Council, the Honourable the Speaker and Members of Assembly, Officers civil and military, the Clergy, &c. about two o'Clock, went to Mr. Dillon's, where an elegant Entertainment was provided for his Excellency, and passed the Afternoon with much Satisfaction.

His Excellency's Lady was brought ashore before his Lordship landed; and conducted to his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's House, where her Ladyship continued all Day.

Most of the principal Inhabitants of James-Island were not backward in their Demonstrations of Joy, on the safe Arrival of his Excellency Lord Charles-Greville Montagu, for there were Illuminations, Bonfires, &c. in several Places on that Island.

Advices from Falmouth of April 19th informs us, That the Hon. John Johnstone, Esq. Member of the Council at Calcutta in Bengal, was just arrived there in the Expedition Packet-Boat from Lisbon, and brought Advice that the English had concluded a Peace with the Enemy Nabob, and general Tranquillity was restored in that Part of the World. The said Packet brought Accounts that the Infurrection at Madrid, mentioned above, was likely to be attended with serious Consequences: It had already cost the Prince-Minister his Place, who was to be sent to Carthage or Porto-Bello, and his Catholick Majesty had been obliged to dismiss his French and Swiss Guards. The Prince-Minister had a principal Hand in framing the Family-Compact, which is very disagreeable to all true Spaniards, to whose natural fixed Aversion for the French the present Commotions are attributed, which for that Reason, it is thought, will not soon be easily be suppressed.

It is said Mr. Pitt was soon to appear at the Head of the British Administration; and it is added, no Measures of any Moment was taken without his Approbation.

On Thursday last, the Brig Philadelphia Packet, Captain Johnson, sailed for Philadelphia; in whom went, Mr. and Mrs. Douglass, Capt. John Ross, and several other Passengers.

Yesterday Morning the two following Addresses were presented to his Excellency Lord Charles-Greville Montagu.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, Captain-General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over his Majesty's Province of SOUTH-CAROLINA.

The Humble ADDRESS of his Majesty's Council.

May it please your Excellency,

WE, this Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Council of this Province, met in General Assembly, beg Leave to offer our most cordial and affectionate Congratulations upon your Excellency's safe Arrival; and we entertain the most grateful Sense of his Majesty's paternal Care and Goodness, by appointing a Person of your Lordship's distinguished Rank and Figure to the Administration of this Government.

When we reflect that your Excellency, descended from an illustrious Line of Ancestry, trained for their Love of civil Freedom, we ourselves ourselves, that your Excellency, animated by their Virtues, will prefer to the good People of this Province, their Laws and Liberties, upon the true Principles of our happy Constitution.

We approach your Excellency with the warmest Tenders of Duty and Regard, and beg Leave to assure you, that our best Endeavours shall not be wanting to promote the King's Honour, and co-operate with your Excellency, in every Measure calculated for the Good and Benefit of the People, and we trust that the several Powers of Government being firmly and steadily exerted, and a mutual Confidence established between the different Branches of the Legislature, will contribute in an especial Manner to render your Excellency's Administration easy and honourable, and also most effectually promote the Welfare, Happiness, and Prosperity of this Province.

In the Upper House of Assembly,
Saturday the 12th June, 1766.

OTHNIEL BEALE.

His Excellency's ANSWER.

Honourable Gentlemen of his Majesty's Council.

I Return you my sincere Thanks for your Congratulations. The Interest of this Province will always be the peculiar Object of my Care, and the Prosperity of it, the warmest Wish of my Heart.

To promote its Advantages, to maintain good Order, and with your Assistance, to see Justice done to every Man, are the Means by which I shall endeavour to gain your Approbation, and render myself worthy of the Trust his Majesty has placed in me.

CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, Captain-General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over his Majesty's Province of SOUTH-CAROLINA.

The Humble ADDRESS of the Commons House of Assembly of the said Province.

May it please your Excellency,

WE, his Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons House of Assembly of this Province, beg Leave to offer our most sincere Congratulations on your Excellency's safe Arrival.

The Appointment of a Gentleman in eminently distinguished by Birth and Character, to this Government, fills us with a just Sense of our Sovereign's paternal Care and tender Regard for this Colony. So gracious a Mark of the Royal Favour cannot fail to meet with a grateful Return.

We assure ourselves of your Excellency's ready Attention to every Measure that may promote the King's Service and the Public Good; and on our Part nothing shall be omitted which can tend to render your Administration as easy and honourable to your Excellency, as we doubt not it will be happy for the People.

PETER MANIGAULT, Speaker.

June 14, 1766.

His Excellency's ANSWER.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Commons House of Assembly,

PERMIT Me to offer you my grateful Thanks for your Congratulations; and to assure you, it will be my constant Endeavour to merit your Regard, by contributing all that lies in my Power, for the Support of the Dignity of the Crown, the Liberties of the Country, and what is the singular Happiness of this Constitution, the Liberty of each Individual.

CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, Captain-General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over the said Province, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS his Majesty, by his ROYAL LETTERS PATENT, has been graciously pleased to constitute and appoint me Captain-General, Governor and Commander in Chief, of this his Majesty's Province of South-Carolina, and Vice-Admiral of the same; I have therefore thought fit, with the Advice of his Majesty's Council, to publish this my PROCLAMATION, declaring, that it is my Will and Pleasure that all Officers, both Civil and Military, within this Province and Government, shall continue in and exercise their several Posts and Places until further Orders from me.

AND WHEREAS I am commanded, by one of his Majesty's Instructions, to cause the Oaths appointed in an Act, intitled, An Act for the further Security of his Majesty's Person and Government, and the Succession of the Crown in the Heirs of the late Princess Sophia, being Protestants; and extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales, and his open and secret Abettors, to be administered to all Judges, Justices, and other Persons that hold any Office or Place of Trust or Profit within this Province: And also to cause them to make and subscribe the Declaration mentioned in an Act, made in the Twenty-fifth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second, intitled, An Act for preventing Dangers which may happen from Papist Recusants. I DO hereby Require such Persons as aforesaid, to take the aforesaid Oath, and make and subscribe the aforesaid Declaration.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the said Province, at the Council Chamber in Charles-Town, the Thirtieth Day of June, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-six, and of his Majesty's Reign the Sixth Year.

CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU.

By His Excellency's Command,

THOMAS SKOTTS, Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

June CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD. From
13th. Ship Heart-of-Oak, Henry Gun, Falmouth
Ship Fonthill, Matthias Kitchen, London
14th. Schooner Chance, Francis Moore, North-Carolina
Ship Henry, John Todd, St. Christopher
Schooner Polly, Richard Savery, St. Augustine

16th. Sloop Beaufort, Nathaniel Coffin, Jamaica
Sloop Betty, George Bacom, Turks-Island
Sloop Griffin, Asher Fairchild, Honduras Bay
June CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE. For
13th. Brig Philadelphia-Packet, Fra. Johnson, Philadelphia
14th. Brig Prince of Wales, Thomas Malon, ditto

On the happy Arrival of his Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU.

WHILE rattling Cannons thunder in our Ears
The grateful Tidings, "MONTAGU appears;"
While Drums and Trumpets found with martial Noise,
And flew a happy People's boundless Joys;
While warlike Bands in Splendor lead the Way,
And loyal Crowds salute the auspicious Day.
Let the more modest Muse in humble dress,
And lowly Accents thus her Hopes express.
Hail, noble MONTAGU! thrice welcome o'er
The dangerous Ocean from Britannia's Shore;
Welcome to this tincooth and desert Land,
Which hopes Improvement from your skilful Hand:
Science neglected and almost unknown,
Now rears her reverend Head and claims you for her own;
Learning in Triumph leads her vot'ry on,
And Freedom tithers in her darling Son:
The wand'ring Muses in the Train attend,
And hope to find a Patron and a Friend;
If you approve; then shall your honour'd name
Shine still more glorious in the Roll of Fame;
Conspicuous Worth in Prose is faintly shewn,
But Verse can waft it to an Age unknown:
The great Mæonides Men made Gods;
And rais'd his Heroes to the blest Abodes
Mæonias, Glory of the Augustan Age
Appears more glorious in the Lyric Page:
As long as Maço's Strains majestic seem
So long Æneas shall command Esteem:
Yet still, the Muse unheeded coldly sings,
And when neglected, backward Offerings brings:
But know; give us kind Patrons for our Thence;
We'll rouse a Chio from far Athley's Streams;
The desert Groves and gloomy Wilds we'll trace
And wake the Muses from their lurking Place;
Some have burst forth, and dictated a Strain,
But unencourag'd have sunk back again;
And now our languine Hopes are on the Wing
That MONTAGU shall call them forth to sing:
I seem to anticipate those happy Times,
When Poets shall adorn these new-born Climes;
When Pope's and Milton's shall successive rise,
And chain the Savage as they civilize;
When Science shall extend her wide Domain,
And all the useful Arts shall follow in her Train.

AMERICANUS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Charles-Town, June 10, 1766.

BY Order of the Commons House of Assembly of this Province, to us directed, We the Commissioners appointed by an Ordinance passed the eight Instant, prohibiting the Exportation of Rice, and for buying and supplying the Inhabitants who are, or may be in want thereof, for Provisions; do give publick Notice to all Persons so as want, that they are immediately to signify the Quantity so wanted, to either of the Subscribers, in order to be laid before the Legislature. And that the said Rice is sold by either of the Subscribers, at 1 l. per Cent, and 10¢ for each Barrel, with two and an Half per Cent Commissions, and other Charges accruing thereon, as directed by the said Ordinance, until the first Day of September next, unless his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, shall find it necessary to suspend the said Ordinance before the Expiration thereof.

THOMAS LEGARE, WILLIAM ROPER,
WILLIAM GIBBES, BENJAMIN SIMONS,
WILLIAM LOGAN, GEORGE LIVINGSTON

AS I shall shortly be obliged to close the affairs relative to the estate of Mrs. SARAH MIDDLETON, deceased, and make a dividend of the residue in my hands; I do therefore request all persons indebted to the said estate, to discharge their respective debts, on or before the first day of August next; and those who have got any demands on the said estate, are desired to make them known before that day, in order to receive payment.

HENRY MIDDLETON.

NOWELL & LORD,

HAVE IMPORTED in the Ship London, Captain Strachan, from London;

A COMPLETE assortment of GOODS suitable to the present season, which they will sell on the most reasonable terms at their store on the Bay.

A few barrels of London Porter at 15 l. per barrel a chest of superfine hyson tea, at 6 l. per pound; and an assortment of plain and figured new fashioned silks and satins for ladies and gentlemen's wear, to be sold remarkably low.

ROBERT WELLS,

INFORMS all Persons who are indebted to him for GOODS sold at VENDUE, that he being under an absolute Necessity of settling that Concern, will be obliged to put every Account, &c. that is not paid, into the Hands of an Attorney at Law, with Orders to proceed therein, so that the Benefit of the next Return-Day, viz. July 1st, 1766, may not be lost.

HE likewise intreats that all Persons indebted to him on other Accounts, preceeding the first of January last, will be pleased to pay or settle.

June 16, 1766.

TO be sold, two tracts of land, of 100 acres each, one granted to John Godfield Smith, on the north east side of Indian-field-swamp, in Berkley county, bounded, when granted, north eastward on land belonging to Nicholas Noe, and part on vacant land; and the other sales on vacant land. The other granted to Ann Maria Mellerin, on Comber branch, in Amelia township, bounded, when granted, north-west part on vacant land, and part on Alexander McGregor's land, and the other sides on vacant land; both free of taxes and quit-rents for several years to come. Enquire of the subscriber in Charles-Town, in whose hands the plate and grants are to be seen.

WILLIAM HOPTON.

Charles-Town, June 16, 1766.
TO BE SOLD by publick Outcry, for ready Money, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on Monday the 23d Inst. June, at the House in Tradd-street, now possessed by Mrs. Grindlay;

THE valuable LIBRARY of the late **JAMES GRINDLAY**, Esq; deceased, consisting of an excellent Collection of Law; All History, Divinity, and Entertainment. The Books, which are in very good Condition, will be positively sold off without Reserve, and Catalogues published in the mean Time.

And on the Friday following, being the 17th of this Instant June, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, Mrs. Grindlay at the same Place, for ready Money, will dispose of three useful and handy House-Wenches, whom she can commend for their Honesty and Sobriety: Also all her Household and Kitchen Furniture, Plate, China, &c. She earnestly requests that all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said James Grindlay, deceased in anywise howsoever, will make immediate Payment; and that those who have Bonds, Notes, Title-Deeds, or other Papers, left at her House, will take them away, as she purposes shortly to depart the Province.

JOHN LORD,
CARVER and GILDER, from LONDON;

INFORMS the PUBLICK, That he has opened a Shop in Church-street, opposite to Messrs. Speed and White's Store, where he intends to carry on the said Business in all its various Branches, and flatters himself he shall be able to give Satisfaction to those Gentlemen and Ladies who may please to employ him, having had the Advantage of doing all the different Parts of his Business at the Shop of Mr. NORMAN, Carver and Gilder to his Majesty.

N. B. An Assortment of Glasses with carved Frames, to be sold cheap: Also all Kinds of Work new gilt, and Glasses silvered, nearly as cheap as in London.

WILLIAM GOWDEY,
HAS IMPORTED in the London, Captain Strachan;

A NEAT assortment of the best London made plate and jewellery, which with what he had on hand, will be sold on the most reasonable terms, at his shop in Broad-street.

His former advertisement (desiring those indebted to him to discharge their Accounts) having had no Effect, he hopes those concerned will not take it amiss, if they find their accounts in a lawyer's hands, as his circumstances will admit of no longer delay.

JOSHUA LOCKWOOD,
WATCH-MAKER, in BROAD-STREET,

Has just imported in the Ship London, Capt. Strachan, from London, a neat assortment of CLOCKS and WATCHES; (the variety not to be seen elsewhere in America) among which are

FOUR plain stop gold watches, with seconds in the centre, that will stop to the fourth part of a second, the construction in one part being taken from Mr. Harrison's time-keeper: they may be seen by any gentleman who please to call at my shop. Also,

Some spring ALARMS, very useful for those who have occasion to call their servants early or late, as they can be set to go at any hour or minute they please.

Those gentlemen that purchase either of the above articles will be called upon for the money next January; and those whose accounts were due before January 1766, will not take it amiss if I call often upon them, as I must keep up my credit; and my worthy friends must also consider that the sun is very hot to walk in.

THOMAS WALTER,

Just arrived from London, has imported in Captain Strachan, from thence;

A LARGE assortment of coarse and fine

Irish linens, linen and cotton checks, 3-4th striped linen, cotton hollands, thicksets, red and white furniture check, Bengal stripes and ginghams, Scotch hollands, whited, brown, and ounce threads, coarse and fine handkerchiefs, plain, spotted, flowered and striped lawns, flowered, and spotted silk gauze of the newest fashion: A small assortment of Books, viz. Ovid's Art of Love; Bolinbroke's philosophical Works, Racine, Boileau, Voltaire, Moliere, and Corneille's Works in French, Steele's and Foote's Plays, Churchill's Famine, Pope and Addison's Works, Johnson's Shakespeare, &c. Bed bunts, wove stocks; cotton gowns; very handsome printed linens, and purple ground cottons, and calicoes, mens brown and white thread hose, corded and flowered dimity, black ribbands, thread buttons, best Carolina broad hoes, falling axes and indico hooks, with a variety of other goods, which will be sold at a very reasonable advance, especially for cash, at his store in Broad-street, formerly possessed by Mr. Isaac Holmes, and next to the post-office.

N. B. He has bought a quantity of printed linens and calicoes on such low terms, that he can afford to sell them much cheaper than usual, particularly good German ornaments at 4s per yard.

JAMES & WILLIAM LENNOX,

HAVE IMPORTED in the London, Captain Strachan,

RUSSIA and Irish sheeting, and sheeting

linens, gulix hollands, chints, cottons, calicoes, diaper and damask tabling and napkinings, cambricks, lawns, yard and yard and an half wide clear muslins, fine plated stocks, copper plate, purple, and coloured cotton bed furniture, fine cotton romals, Persian tassetas, half ell mantuns, striped justing, green satin, blue, yellow, green, and crimson damask, rich brocade, black paduasoy, black, white, green, yellow, and crimson corded tabby for mens wear, black, white, green, and crimson silk breeches pieces, four and six thread worsted ditto, broad cloth, flannels, white buckram, black, clouded, and white silk hose, satin, brocade and stuff shoes and pumps, green silk umbrellas, feather egrets, large carved and gilt picture frames, spices, pickles, sweet oil, mustard, blue, raisins, currants, Jordan almonds, prunes, figs, Rogers's best sallow cut tobacco, boxes containing a single piece of long glazed and painted pipes, china, glass, and stone ware, with a variety of other articles, which they will sell on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Elliott-street.

ROBERT RAPER having administered on the Estate of **ANDREW JOHNSTON**, deceased, desires all Persons that are indebted to the said Estate to pay off the same immediately, without any further Notice.

DARBY PENDERGRASS,

Has just imported in the London, Captain Strachan, from London, a neat Assortment of Goods, amongst which are, **SUPERFINE broad cloths and trimmings,**

Legathies, silk and worsted stockings, duroys, jeans and jeansets of different colours, fit for mens summer wear, gold and silver lace, cottons, calicoes, chints, printed cambricks, and hummums, Irish linens, checks, and check handkerchiefs, flowered, bordered, plain, and spotted lawns, cambricks, clouting, diaper, womens damask, calamanco, and everlasting shoes, mads and girls ditto, womens black satin hats and bonnets, capuchins and cardinals, masks, thread and cotton hose, pound and ounce threads, trolly and Dutch lace, fine white plain gauze, striped, fringed, and flowered ditto ell wide, new fashioned fans, bohea tea, fine Florence oil, best White-chapel and common needles, with sundry other articles too tedious to mention, which will be sold at nine for one cash, at his store in Meeting-street; Pink, scarlet, blue and white satin, to be sold at the said store, at eight for one.

N. B. As I am determined to settle all my business as soon as possible, I will be greatly obliged to every person indebted to me, by bond, note, or book account, to pay it as soon as possible, especially those that have their accounts standing two, three, and four years, may depend, if not paid before the first July next, will be sued without further notice.

TO BE SOLD cheap for Cash, or short Credit, by

PRICE, HEST, & HEAD,

NEGRO CLOTH, best F Gun-powder,

London made; linseed oil in casks, glauber salts by the hundred weight, Irish linens, oazaburga, white Port wine in quarter casks, red Port wine in hampers, containing three dozen each, bottled beer, and yellow ware, flat and hollow, in crates, boxes of sheet tin, shag tobacco, rappee and Scots snuff, in boxes and bladders.

TO BE SOLD, next Door to the Printing-Office on the Bay.

A Quantity of Irish linen, from 10s to 60s per yard, bought by myself, when brown, of the best fabrick and quality, carefully got up, and well attended to while in the bleach, with a few pieces of 3-4th, 5-4th, 7-4th, and 8-4th wide diapers. An assortment of printed linens and cottons, blue and white linens at 2s/6 and 1s/5 per yard, yard wide Yorkshire flat linens, proper for sheeting, at 8s/9 per yard, with a variety of other articles suitable for the season, all bought of the manufacturers with cash, by a person of good judgment, and 20 years experience in the quality of linens.

JOHN DAVIES,

RICHARD FOWLER,
Upholsterer and Paper-Hanger, from London, two Doors from the White-Meeting, in Meeting-street.

MAKES all sorts of bed furniture, as like- wife Venetian and festoon window curtains, mattresses made, and fire-irons stuffed and repaired, all sorts of easy and French chairs, couches and sofas. Any gentleman or lady, that shall choose to employ him may depend on having their work executed in the neatest and newest taste.

N. B. He expects a large assortment of paper-hangings, and all sorts of materials in the upholstery business.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Wednesday the 9th Day of July next, at the House I live in, on the Bay of Charles-Town;

ALL the effects belonging to Captain

William Barnes, late of Boston, in New-England; deceased. All persons indebted to the said deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands upon his estate, are likewise requested to bring in their accounts properly attested by the day of sale to **JOHN WESTON, Administrator.**

RAN away from the subscriber, about a

month ago, two new negro men of the Guinea country, one named **JEFFERY**, and the other **CESAR**. Jeffery is a tall well set fellow, with his country marks down his face, of a yellowish complexion. Cesar is a well set black fellow, with a mark on his cheek, as if it had been stamped with a thimble. Ran away about the same time, a negro fellow named **JACOB**, of the Bambara country, formerly the property of Mr. William Raven, and it is supposed he is gone to Siono. Whoever apprehends said negroes, and delivers them to me, or to the warden of the work-house, shall have Five Pounds Reward for each, besides all other reasonable charges; and all persons are desired not to harbour the said negroes. And as it is a customary thing for the back settlers of this province, to take up new negroes, and keep them employed privately, and in order to bring such offenders to justice, I hereby offer a Reward of Fifty Pounds on conviction of said negroes being harboured by white people, and Ten, if by a negro. **ROBERT DEARINGTON.**

JOHN Raphill, junior, of Williamsburg,

informs me of a sorrel gelding having strayed into his inclosures, about 13 hands high; with a brand on the off thigh, resembling a blotched VB, in one, a white slip down his face.

Likewise John Dehay, of Lynch's Creek, informs me of a stray mare, about 11 hands high, and trots; Branded on the mounting shoulder **UH** in one. The owners of said strays may prove their property before, **Black Mingo, June 10, 1766. DAVID FULTON, J. P.**

WILLIAM Flint informs me of a black

gelding, trots, and can pace a little, with a star, and large blaze on his nose, part of one hind foot white, near 14 hands high; Branded on the mounting shoulder **30**.

Left in the pasture of Daniel Ravenel, junior, about six months ago, a black mare colt, with a blaze, or large snip, neither branded or docked. The owners of the above strays may have them, by proving their property, and applying to **St. John's Parish, June 7, 1766. HENRY RAVENEL.**

Goose-Creek, June 9, 1766.

I Am informed of two chestnut sorrel geld- ings, one 14 hands high, has a small star in his forehead: Branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock **JM**, in one. The other about 13 and an Half Hands high, has a small star, and flaxen mane and tail: Branded on the mounting shoulder something like **P**, and on the off buttock **21**. The owner or owners may apply and prove their property before **HENRY SMITH.**

THE subscriber intending to remove next

April to Savannah in Georgia, will dispose of the house he now lives in, the upper end of Tradd-street; the many improvements lately made to the house and back-buildings, with the agreeable situation of the same, are too well known to require any Encomium.

Also a lot next to Mr. Lowmiller's new house in Tradd-street, being 47 feet front on the said street, and 140 old feet in depth, this lot is partly fenced in; and at present a very good garden. Any person choosing to purchase either of the above lots may apply to

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON.

FRANCES SWALLOW,

Has just imported in the London, Captain Strachan, from London; a complete Assortment of

MILLINERY and other GOODS,

Which she will sell on the most reasonable Terms, among which are the following articles:

BROCADE, satin, last- ing, & callimanco shoes and pumps,

Womens and girls Mecklen- burgh fans, Crimson and purple leather gloves,

Coloured French silk gloves, Thread and Cotton ditto, Plain black and white silk do.

India and English chints, Dark ground and marble do. Hummums, long lawns and book muslin,

Pistol, spotted, flowered and plain lawns, Clouting, diaper, and napkin damask,

Fine white India chints, India perian and nankens, Striped, flowered and plain mantuns,

Black, blue, crimson, green, and white figured satin, Pink & yellow striped thread ditto,

Black, blue, green and pink peelings, Secented wash-balls, Lavender and Hungary water,

Poland starch, Powder blue, Broad and narrow black ala- mode,

Black, blue, pink, green & white English perian, Black, blue and green figured modes,

Fine French pearl and wax necklaces and earrings, Sets of ditto, Best London pins, and steel pointed scissars in sheaths,

Silver thimbles and ivory bod- kins, Fashionable ribbands, figured and plain, A white ground brocade silk, A neat silver tweener case,

Plaited stocks and stock tape, Blond lace, Also superfine blue and raven grey broad cloaths, gold and silver lace, gold and silver knee garters, basket buttons, gold and silver vellum and cord, mens best beaver hats, white plains, loaf sugar, neat London made saddles with long flaps, double rein and shaffle, bridles, faringals and boot garters, just imported in the last vessels from London and Bristol, and to be sold by **NEWMAN SWALLOW**, at his store on the bay. --- N. B. Superfine flour in barrels and half barrels, and water, milk and butter bread in kegs.

IN possession of Peter Combee, at Salt- catcher, near Mr. Donnoms; a bright bay Horse, about 13 years old; 13 hands and an half high, with a star in his forehead: Branded on the mounting shoulder resembling a heart with the figure of a backwards, and an 1 joining to it, but something obscure. The owner must apply to

May 23, 1766. THOMAS HUTCHINSON.

MR. John Dutarque tells a grey horse, about 14 hands high, and six years old: Branded on the mounting buttock thus **X**, and on the off buttock something like **TJ** in one. Whoever own the said horse, are desired to prove their property before

June 13, 1766. FRANCIS ROCHE, J. P.

ROGER Cannon, senior, tells a bright bay horse, about 13 hands high, and six years old, has his two hind feet white, and a glass eye on the right side, both paces and trots: Branded on the mounting buttock thus **IB**. Whoever owns the said horse, must prove his property before

June 14, 1766. FRANCIS ROCHE, J. P.

Goose-Creek, June 9, 1766.

I Am informed of a red cow, marked in the left ear with a crop and slit, and in the right ear a crop & Branded with an **HC** in one. Likewise a brown steer with a white spot on his rump, marked in the left ear with a hole, and the right ear, a crop and under heel: Branded with something like **CB** in one. The Owner may apply and prove his property before

Charles-Town, June 9, 1766. HENRY SMITH, J. P.

CHARLES Strother informs me of a grey gelding having strayed into his pasture, hath no visible marks or brands. The owner must prove his property before

JOHN TROVE, J. P.

TO BE LET, a convenient house, in the

upper end of Union-street Continued, commonly called Amen-Corner, facing Mr. Wragg's gardens. For particulars enquire of said Mr. John Wragg, or of

HOWELL & LUND.

RUTLEDGE & LESENE,

Have just imported in the London, Captain Strachan's
BLACK and blue Prince's Stuffs, Sagathies, India and English Perfians, a large Assortment of very handsome India and English Chintz, purple and white Calicoes and Cottons, a few Pieces of rich Brocades, and other figured Silks, fine Head Laces, &c. Which, with a neat Assortment of most other Articles usually imported, will be sold on the lowest Terms, at their Store in Broad-street, between Messrs. John Paul Grimes and Robert Dill's.

GEORGE THOMSON,

Just arrived in the London, Capt. Strachan, from London;
BEGS Leave to acquaint his Friends and former Customers, that he has brought with him a neat Assortment of EAST-INDIA and EUROPEAN GOODS, which he will sell on very reasonable Terms at his Store in Broad-street, near the Watch-House, formerly possessed by Messrs. Hogg & Clayton.

N. B. He has a Variety of India Silks, Chintzes, &c. and a Parcel of exceeding good Knit Thread Hoie.

EDWARD JONES, & Co.

Have imported from Liverpool and London, A complete Assortment of Goods, suitable for the Plate and Season;

Among which are Sheet Copper, Bottoms and Sides for Stills and Kettles, best Silaria Bar Iron, Milk Pans, and Butter Pots, Cheshire and Gloucester Cheese, fine Salt, Hogheads of Earthen Ware, felt Hats, Stone Ware, &c. which will be sold cheap, at their Store on the Bay, opposite to the Market.

N. B. Country Stores may be supplied with many Articles as cheap as they are usually imported, and as the Assortment is complete, they may be supplied with most Articles wanted.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, and to be SOLD on reasonable Terms, by

THEODORE GAILLARD, Junior;

A LARGE Assortment of Irish Linens and Osnaburghs, Printed Linens and Calicoes, India and English Chintz, Gingham, Persian, &c. Variety of other Silks, Brussels, Minionet and Blond Lace, Pavillion and Cat-gut Gauze, Ribands, Fans, and Gloves, Sagathies, Duroy's, Prince's compleat, With a great Variety of other Articles, just arrived in Captain Strachan.

ANNE MATHEWES,

HAS just imported in the LONDON, Capt. STRACHAN, from LONDON, a neat Assortment of GOODS, amongst

A Variety of chintzes, calicoes, and dark ground cottons, Hucksbacks and diapers, Cambricks, long and clear lawns, 14th mantuns, white sarfuet, Feelings, striped and plain India perfians, half ell ditto, Cotton romalls, A variety of women and children's pack-thread and other staves, A variety of the newest fashion gauze caps, pompons, Children's fillets, and garland trimmings for silk clothes, Black mock lace, white blond ditto, Fine evening and footings, Women and children's shoes, Dress and figure gauze, Undress flowered aprons, Yard wide Irish linen, sheeting ditto, Pavillion gauze, Catgut for working, Cap wire, Jacob's ladder, An assortment of women and children's gloves, Best milliners needles, Newell fashion ribands, Gun-powder, gun flints, Slate pencils, tops, marbles, and children's fiddles, Loaf Sugar, Yard and ell wide umbrelloes, An assortment of beads, Spices, Farlington's balsam, Capers, stone & powder blaus, Pomatum for the hair, Durham's mustard, Red tea-pots, Chaffing dishes, pudding pans, And a great many other articles, too tedious to enumerate, to be sold by the subscriber at her store in Church-street.

CHARLES FRANCIS CHEVALIER,

keeps a Boarding School in Jacksonburgh, where young Gentlemen and Ladies may be taught Reading, Writing, Arithmetick, Mathematics, Mechanics, Geography, Latin, French, Drawing, Dancing and Fencing. The Pension is too l. per Annum. As to such as chuse their Children to learn any particular Thing, they may agree with him on reasonable Terms.

THE Subscriber does hereby forwarn all Persons whatsoever, from Hunting, Fishing or Gunning on the Island known by the Name of Reynolds's Island, especially Patrons of Schooners and others, as I am determined to prosecute all such Offenders without Distinction.
WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

ALEXIUS MADOR FORSTER,

Deputy-Surveyor, residing at Mr. Jonathan Donem's, on Saltwater River, in St. Bartholomew Parish, here he may be found at any Time; will execute either new or old Work in Surveying, with Care and Exactness, and with as little Expence as possible to those who will favour him with their Commands.

N. B. New Work at accustomed Fees, old Work, running Paths, &c. at 1 l. per Day.

ANY Person having the First Volume of the Rev. Mr. JOHN FLAVAL's Works, and will dispose of the same, may hear of a Person who will give a good Price for it, by applying to the Printer of this Paper.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, at the New-Printing-Office in ELLIOTT-STREET, the Corner of GADSDEN'S ALLEY, where SUBSCRIPTIONS, ADVERTISEMENTS, and LETTERS of INTELLIGENCE, &c. are received for this PAPER, and where all Manner of PRINTING WORK is performed with CARE and EXPEDITION.

VILLEPONTOUX & WARING,

Acquaint their Friends, that they have just imported in the London, Captain Strachan, a general Assortment of European and East-India Goods, among which are,

A Great choice of fashionable bread clothes, Irish and Scotch linens, cambricks and lawns, red, blue, purple and copper plate printed lawns, printed calicoes, muslins of all colours, dark ground cottons, fine English and India chintz, white ditto, bumbags, purple, yellow and striped India perphians, men's best London made buckskin breeches, four thread black washed and silk breeches patterns, fine blond and head lace, full cloth No. one and two, cordage from 1 and an half inch rope to a spungara, Kerby boots, banks of green silk lines, fishing reels, complete; neat walking canes, ivory and lead headed rattans, ivory and silver top cruet-stands, all wide and children's umbrelloes, small and large green fish ditto, plate and knife baskets, men's and boys neat velvet and leather jockey caps, men's, women's, girls and boys shoes, black, snail, and new garden trimmings, women's and maids stays, engraved patch decanters, and grape-vine, bordered wine glasses, India glass shades, small and large neat mahogany looking-glasses, and mahogany telescopes, which with every other article usually imported, they continue to sell reasonably, at their store on the Bay, the south corner of Broad-street, near the Guard-house.

N. B. They have a parcel of London made channel boots, which they will sell at 37 1/2 per pair, or cheaper, taking a quantity.

AGNES LIND,

HAS just imported in the London, Capt. James Strachan, from London, and to be sold on reasonable Terms at her Shop in Tradd-street, an Assortment of MILLINERY, and other GOODS, viz.

Brocade and silver stuff, for sun burning, Sattin, lacing, and calicoes, Fashionable ribands, figured and plain, Women and childrens fashion-able hats, Blond lace, thread and Brussels ditto, Leather mounted ditto, Jacob's ladder and bobin, tapes, &c. Crimpon, and purple leather mitts and gloves, Barcelona handkerchiefs, silk and cotton ditto, Women and girls silk ditto, White and black catgut, India and English chintz, Figured and striped gauze, Dark ground and marble ditto, Gauze caps, fillets and sties, Hums and long lawns, Bagle and French egrets, Spotted, flowered and plain lawns, Boys silver lace hats, Fine white India chintz, Fine white India chintz, Fine white India chintz, Fine white India chintz, India, Persian, and silk purses, Light, grey, pink, and black ditto, Fine beaver white and black ditto, with gold and silver loops and buttons, Black, blue, and crimson flowered satins, Ditto with tassels, Broad and narrow a-la-mode, Prussian collar and felt ditto, Black necklaces, and ear-rings, Ladies fashionable hats and bonnets, Flowered, crimson, blue and black satin cardinals, Best London pins and needles, White, enamel and best common ditto, Jet ditto, with militaries, Garnet necklaces and ear-rings, One chest of exceeding good beaver tea, very good Hyson ditto, at 5 l. Fine French, pearl, and wax ditto, Fine Irish linen and sheeting, Black and silver set stay-books, Striped holland and remals, Silver set stone-buckles, Brown thread and cotton stockings, Breast buckles, gold and silver set ear-rings, White and marbled thread do, Silver spreaders and trimmings, Childrens cotton and thread do, Fiddle strings, and silver basins, Cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves and mace, Childrens tea cups and saucers, One chest of pickles, anchovies, olives, green mangoes, capers and walnuts, Common silk babies, wax and naked ditto, with glass eyes, Enamelled blue and white bowls, Breast buckles, gold and silver set ear-rings, Garnet spotted cups and saucers, Silver spreaders and trimmings, Fine enamelled large and small ditto, pint and half pint with saucers, Complete sets of enamelled tea china, High and low waisted stuff, Rogers's best cut tobacco, Wash-balls, scented and plain hair powder, Long, glazed, and painted pipes, Lavender, Hungary and honey water, Poland starch, powder and blue, Tooth powder, and cold cream

RECEIVER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, in Tradd-street.

Charles-Town, South-Carolina, June 3, 1766.

GEORGE SAXBY, Esq;

Receiver-General, hereby gives Notice, that he shall immediately after the 24th instant June, (according to the Duty of his Office) issue Executions against every Person; without Exception, who may then be indebted to his Majesty for Quit-Rents, as he has received particular Orders for so doing, which he is determined to put in Force, therefore hopes all Persons concerned will pay their Quit-Rents before that Day, if not, they must blame themselves for such Neglect.

And WHEREAS many Persons buy Lands, not knowing what Rents may be due thereon, THIS is to inform them, that Purchasers of Lands are liable to pay all Quit-Rents that may be in Arrear.

WANTS EMPLOY.

A Young Man that writes a very good Hand, has been bred to Conveyancing and Public Offices, and understands Accounts tolerably well: He has Recommendations from a Gentleman that he lived upwards of seven Years with, and would be glad to live with a Public Officer, Attorney, or Merchant.

THE Members of the St. GEORGE'S

SOCIETY are desired to meet at the House of Mr. Benjamin Backhouse, on Wednesday the 24th of June, precisely at Eleven o'Clock, in the Forenoon, being their Quarterly Meeting.

By Order of the President,

JOHN B. PIGGOTE, Secretary.

CHOICE fresh Indico Seed, hand-pick'd,

and warranted to be good; to be sold cheap, by

ROBERT KNOX.

Who has likewise to sell a Parcel of good Indico.

TO BE SOLD, on Wednesday the Second of July next,

at the Subscribers House in Elliott-street;

SUNDRY Effects belonging to the Estate

of Mr. JOHN FORBES, deceased.

All Persons who have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in properly attested by the Day of Sale, to

JOHN HOWELL, Administrator.

N. B. At the same Time will be sold a very good Billiard Table.

TO be sold by the Subscriber, the Planta-

tion whereon he now lives at the Congarees, being a

very valuable Tract of Land, containing 400 Acres, plea-

santly situated, and out of the Way of Freshes; fit for the

cultivating of Indico, Hemp, Corn, and Wheat, &c. there

is about 50 Acres of it cleared, and under good Fences;

with a Dwelling-house, Kitchen, Barn, and other conven-

ient Out-houses upon it. Whoever inclines to purchase the

Place, may come and look at it, and treat with JOHN

ROWAN. N. B. There is a fine Spring of Water belong-

ing to the Place.

RAN AWAY the 28th May last, a lusty

Negro Fellow named JAMES, about 26 Years of

Age, born in North-Carolina, or Virginia, he squints a

little, is about five Feet ten Inches high, had on when he

went away a green Jacket, an Olmberg Shirt, a Pair of

brown Negro Cloth Breeches, an under Jacket of Swanskin

lined with Check, and an old beaver Hat; his Hair is cut

short; he had also an Iron Boot on his right Leg, but as he

has taken two Files with him, may perhaps get it off. He

is a sensible Fellow, and as I have been informed, can read

and write, therefore may endeavour to pass for a free Fellow;

it is supposed he will direct his Course for the back Part of

North-Carolina. Any Person who shall apprehend the said

Negro, and deliver him to me, in St. James's Parish, Santee,

or to the Warden of the Work-House, in Charleston,

shall receive Ten Pounds Reward, and all reasonable

Charges paid, by

PETER MOUZON.

TO BE SOLD, on Tuesday the 31st June Inst. at the usual

Place in Charleston, to the highest bidder.

A BRICK HOUSE and Lot in Church-

street, in the Possession of John Cooper; the House is

new, well-built, and finished in the very best Manner; the

Lot is 20 Feet Front, and about 120 in Depth, with a Piazza

to the House, the Whole Front 9 Feet wide, and every Con-

venience of Stores and Offices fitting for a genteel Family;

either in or out of Trade. The Cellars always dry; even be-

fore the Drain was made in the Street.

At the same Time will be sold,

A NEGRO WENCH, that can cook, wash, and iron;

with her Daughter about 12 Years old, and a young likely

handy NEGRO GIRL, about 14 Years old, who is a good

Seamstress.

IN Possession of James Ellis, near Comber

Causeway, two Horses, one an Iron grey, with large

white Spots about his Buttocks, 17 Hands and an half high;

Branded on the mounting Shoulder BB.

The other a white, about the same Height: Branded on

the off Shoulder J G. Apply to

June 3, 1766. THOMAS HUTCHINSON.

RAN AWAY from the Subscriber's Plan-

tation at Stono, about the 24th of May past, a Negro

Fellow named PETER, about five Feet ten Inches high,

this Country born, he is a very sensible Fellow, and well

known both in Town and Country; he has a Wife at Mr.

Drayton's Plantation at Ashley-ferry, where it is supposed he

is harboured. Whoever takes up and delivers him to the

Warden of the Work-house, or at my Plantation at Stono,

shall have a Reward of Five Pounds.

HUMPHRY SOMMERS.

DROPT on the Fourth of March Instant,

between Charles-Town and Ashley-Ferry, a double

Leather Pocket Book, having two Bills of Fifty Pounds each

in it, and seven Notes of Hand of Twenty Pounds each, with

other Papers of Value: Whoever delivers the said Pocket

Book to the Printer of this Paper, to Mr. William Gartner,

at Ashley-Ferry; or to the Subscriber, shall have a PISTOLE

Reward.

N. B. My Name is wrote on the Pocket Book, and on an

Account Book that is within it.

WANTS Employment as an Overseer, a

Person that understands making of Indico or Rice.

For farther Particulars, enquire of Mr. James Taylor, at

the Corner of Market-Square, near the Beef-Market.

WANTED immediately to Hire,

A SMALL Plantation, upon Charlestown Neck, within

three or four Miles of Town. Any Person having

such an one, may apply to Charles Crouch.

WANTED immediately, an Apprentice

to the Printing Business: He must be an honest,

sober, sprightly Lad; and his Friends may depend upon his

being well used. Apply to CHARLES CROUCH, at his

Printing-Office in Elliott-street.

Most Sorts of Blanks, Stationary

Ware, and Writing Paper, to be sold by

CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-street.

GRIFFITH & CAPE,

Have just IMPORTED in the London, Captain Strachan, from London,

A Compleat assortment of Goods, among which are loaf sugar, B. Kenton's best London porter, in barrels, Cheshire and Gloucester cheese, fine hyson, green, and bohea tea, fashionable stripes, jannets, sagathies and duroys for mens summer wear, India perians, and Persian taffetas, Irish sheeting and shirting linens, checks, great choice of calicoes, chints, fine printed cambricks, and copper plate linens, long, clear, and pistol lawns, cambricks; pickles, among which are exceeding good French olives; British, Irish, flaxen and fine whitened oznaburges, mens and boys beaver, castor, and felt hats, some of the former are in the fashion of what is called the Cumberland cock; womens stuff shoes of all sizes, superfine fashionable coloured broad clothes, with trimmings, gold and silver lace, womens and mens gloves, most fashionable ribbons and fans, London and Bridgeport sail duck, from No 1 to 8, china, &c. which they will dispose of on moderate terms.

DOWNES, JONES, & Co.

Have imported, by Capt. STRACHAN, from LONDON,

A LARGE Assortment of Goods, proper for the Season, among which are, Hyson TEA, a few crew coloured MANTUAS, and other fashionable SILKS, &c. and will be sold, on reasonable Terms, at their Store in Tradd-Street, and at Bacon-Bridge.

WARWELL,

PAINTER, from LONDON,

INTENDING to settle in this Town, begs Leave to inform the Public, that he has taken a House on the Point, opposite to Governor Boone's, and the next Door to Mr. Rose's, Ship-Carpenter; where he paints

HISTORY PIECES, HERALDRY,
ALTAR PIECES, COACHES,
LANDSCAPES, WINDOW BLINDS,
SEA PIECES, CHIMNEY BLINDS,
FLOWERS, SKREENS,
FRUITS, GILDING.

Pictures copied, cleaned, or mended. Rooms painted in Oil or Water in a new Taste. Deceptive Temples, Triumphal Arches, Obelisks, Statues, &c. for Groves, or Gardens.

WE the Subscribers, Assignees of Isaac

Da Costa, give Notice, that he is empowered to receive and give Discharges for all Debts due to him on his private Account, and assigned to us. Therefore all Persons against whom he has any Demands, are desired to settle with him immediately, and those who have Demands against him, on his private Account, are to give them in to the said Da Costa for Payment.

PETER MANIGAULT,

MILES BREWTON.

ELIAS VANDERHORST, and MAU-

RICE SIMONS, acquaints their Friends, that they have entered into Co-partnership, and have just imported in the Ship London, Capt. Strachan, from London, a compleat Assortment of GOODS, which they will sell on the most reasonable Terms, and shall be greatly obliged to all Persons who will favour them with their Orders, which shall be punctually complied with.

JAMES POYAS,

HATH just imported in the London, Captain Strachan, from LONDON,

A neat Assortment of GOODS, amongst which are

SUPERFINE light broad cloths, new fashioned marbled wiltons, and fine sagathies, for mens summer wear, a variety of chints and printed linens, striped and other Persian taffetas, silk Damascus and Bengal stripes for waistcoats, a great choice of Irish shirting and sheeting linens, oznaburges, and Russia drab, cotton Hollands, men, women and youth's thread hose, mens fashionable marbled silk ditto, and best four thread breeches patterns, all sorts of plantation tools and cutlery, Venice treacle, treacle water, best manna, Turlington's balsam, Godfrey's cordial, and other family medicines, Weston's best snuff, men and youth's shoes and pumps, &c. &c. which with other goods, he has on hand (most of the latest importation) he will sell exactly at the current advance of ten for one at the usual credit, but for Ready Money, a discount of ten per cent will be allowed on all Sums above twenty pounds.

He hopes that those whose accounts have been long due, will think of paying, or otherwise settling to his satisfaction as soon as possible.

SELLING OFF.

ANY Person wanting to purchase a small STOCK of GOODS, consisting of a well assorted Variety, and but lately imported, may be supplied at Eight for One. For Terms of Payment, apply to

LLOYD & NEYLE.

LAURENS, MOTTE, & Co.

Have imported in the Ship London, Capt. James Strachan, from LONDON,

A Very large Assortment of printed Linens, Calicoes and Chints, India Perians, Taffetas, and other Silks, a Quantity of Nankeens, Loaf Sugar, and best Bohea, Green, and Hyson Tea.

N. B. Great Allowance will be made to any who take a Quantity of the Tea.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of

Hant Ernst Hoff, Wheelwright, deceased, are desired to take Notice, that unless they do pay their respective Debts immediately to the Subscriber, they will be put into the Hands of an Attorney; and those that have any Demands against the said Estate are desired to bring in their Accounts to

BERNHART ENNEY, Administrator.

MICHIE & MACAULAY,

Have just imported in the ship LONDON, Capt. STRACHAN, from LONDON; also in the PHILADELPHIA-PACKET, Capt. EUSTACE, from BRISTOL; A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF GOODS, which will be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Broad-street, opposite Mr. John-Paul Grimke's, among which are,

VERY neat chints bed furniture, and very fashionable chintzes from 9 to 32 l. a variety of calicoes, cottons and printed linens; fine Irish and Hamburg sheeting, India nankeens, britanniols, 3-4 and 7-8 garlix, Scots linens, douglas, great variety of Irish linens from 3 s. 9d. to 40 s. per yard, Turkey burdets, neat blue and white stripes for mens jackets, an assortment of printed, silk, check, and India hankerbis, cotton romalls, flowered and spotted pistol and long lawns, plain lawns and cambricks, princess linen, 3-4, 6-4, and 10-4 buckabecks, 3-4 wide damask and diaper, brown holland, 11 nail, 3-4, 7-8, and yard wide checks and stripes, Irish and Scots oznaburges, raven duck, beffens, mens and youths broad cloth and drap great coats, ditto justian, farnought jackets, striped and flowered flannels, super-fine broad cloths, coarse blue, black and coloured broad cloths, German serges, sagathies and duroys, Devonshire kerseys, dyed jeans, thickets and justians, bed bunts and Flauers bed ticks, cotton counterpanes, worsted and hair shags, mens, womens, boys and girls worsted, thread and cotton stockings, men and womens white, black and coloured silk stockings, black, blue, and buff worsted breeches patterns, black, blue, purple and buff silk breeches patterns, worsted, cotton and silk caps, womens petticoats, womens scarlet cardinals, callimancoes, durants, tammies, damasks and ballouns, blue and white crapes, barragans, blue and black lusting, blue and black serge de nize, brown buckrams, rich black paduasies and fottins, crew coloured poplins, bombazines, rich black capucchin silk, black princess stuff, black alomades, lutehring, silk and thread pavillion gauze, womens black cardinals and capucchins, womens fashionable black and coloured hats and bonnets, womens fur hats, bat crapes, marking canvas, plaited socks, gold and silver hat lace and buttons, womens stays, fashionable, coloured and plain ribbands, black ditto, oznaburg threads, fine white and white brown thread, ounce thread from 2 s. 6d. to 4 s. 5 p. ditto by the lb. needles, Dutch prettices, shirt and jacket buttons, mohair ditto, sewing silk, and silk twist, mohair, fans and necklaces, gartering, scarlet Calix, silk, thread, and cotton laces, white tapes, womens masks, trolly lace from 1 s. 2 to 5 l. per yard, metal and burn buttons, shoe, knee, and strap buckles, pocket and framed looking glasses, ivory, bone, and buckling combs; silk and worsted ferrets, knives, bone, and buck handled table knives and forks, oyster knives, brass and steel spurs, billiard balls and dice boxes, common and temple spectacles, cork screws, locks of all sorts, desk furniture, and desk sets compleat, chisels of all sorts, carpenters tools, men and womens shoes, mens cester hats, boys ditto, twine of all sorts, powder, bar lead, and bullets, China ware, delft ditto, glass ware, copper ware, tin ware, iron ware, nails of all sorts, long and short tobacco pipes, shoe-makers tools, mill, cross-cut, whip, and hand saws, with sets, white lead in oil, linsed oil, sweet ditto, red lead, brimstone, salt-petre, madder, copperas, allum, coffee, pepper, ginger, allspice, lampblack, powder blue, spices, tea, grind and quern stones, medicines, cotton, wool, and tow cards, oil of turpentine, whale bone, japanned waiters, corn and coffee mills, &c. &c.

ALSO, Rum, Wine, Salt, Iron, Ploughbear Moulds, Steel, single and double Gloucester Cheese, and Loaf Sugar.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of

Thomas Wright, Esq; either by Bond, Note, or Book Debt, are desired to pay the same by the first Day of July, as whatever shall remain due after that Day will be put into the Hands of an Attorney to be recovered without Distinction. And all Persons to whom the said Estate is any-ways indebted, are desired to bring in their Demands properly attested, to receive Payment from

ROBERT HUME.

GODFREY & GADSDEN,

Have just imported in Captain Strachan, from London;

WHITE, blue, and green pavillion gauze, Irish and Russia sheeting linen, figured mininet and pistol lawns, Russia lace, Bengal stripes, pequet, check'd and figured gauze aprons, figured, striped and Cyprus gauze, nankeen, hand bells, a small assortment of cordage, sagathies and duroys, men and boys saddles, boys leather caps, and mens velvet jockey caps, half ell striped and check'd fashionable mantuas and tabines, flower'd armosen and black saten, Persian taffetas, linsed oil, vermilion, amber, ground Spanish brown, yellow and English oaker, Venetian, cur-rants and jar raisins, Turkey figs, Jordan almonds, single and double refined loaf sugar, compleat sets of blue and white and enamelled tea table china, black and blond lace, womens silk cardinals, which, with a compleat assortment of other GOODS, they will sell at the most reasonable terms at their store on the Bay of Charles-Town.

JACOB WARLEY, SADDLER,

At the Sign of the SADDLE, in King-Street

HAS just imported in the London, Captain STRACHAN, from LONDON,

A Neat assortment of SADDLERY, amongst

which are fringe and lace, training and diaper web, chaff and horse whips, whip thongs, common and spring spurs, snaffle bits, saddlers tacks of all sorts, saddlers tools, such as strainers, hammers, knives, creasting irons, &c. &c. He sells saddles and bridles as usual, very reasonably.

He desires all persons indebted to him to discharge their accounts, as he is under an indispensable necessity of settling them.

A STRAY forrel Gelding, about 14

Hands high, with a large Star in his Forehead, and paces: Branded on the mounting Shoulder I P.

Also two Sisters, the one red, the other black, marked with a Crop, Silt, and under Keel in each Ear, and a small Piece taken from the upper Part of one Ear: Branded P, and an Heart. The Owners must prove their Property before, Derbisher, May 31, 1766. JOHN JOSE.

LEFT in my Possession, some Months ago, by Alexander Dallas, a Parcel of wearing Apparel, such as Coats, Waistcoats, &c. which he said, belonged to People in this Town. Whoever owns any of the said Clothes, may have them again, paying Charges, and applying in King-street, to

CHARLES MOTTE, Matter.

ON Thursday the 19th of June Instant, will be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town, the following Plantations or Tracts of Land, late the Property of John Cole, and seized on Execution, viz.

ONE hundred and fifty acres of land, in Craven county, granted to William Dargan, bounding to the southward on Santee river, and upon all other sides on land vacant at the time of the original grant.

One hundred acres granted to Ann Catharine Ferlain, bounding southward on said river, northward on said William Dargan's land, and on all other sides on land vacant at the time of the original grant.

And one hundred acres granted to Ann Maria Shirley, bounding southward on said river, northward on said Ferlain's, and on all other sides upon land vacant at the time of the original grant.

Also a plantation or tract of land, containing eight hundred and fifty acres, in Craven county, opposite to Amelia town-ship, bounding to the southward on Santee river, and on all other sides on land vacant at the time of the original grant.

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

On Thursday the 3d of July next, will be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town, the following Plantations or Tracts of Land, late the Property of John Pearson, Esq; and sold under Execution, viz.

TWO hundred Acres on Broad-River, where he now lives, bounded on the east by the said river, on the north by land laid out to Mary Tifts, south and west by land vacant at the time of the original grant to William Rainford, in the year 1749. The above plantation is very pleasantly situated on a high bluff, with good buildings thereon, and the land inferior to none in this province.

One hundred and fifty acres on the fork between Broad and Saludy Rivers, on the south side of Congaree-river, bounding to the north and east on the said river, and to the south and west on lands vacant at the time of the original grant.

Three hundred and fifty acres between Congaree and Wateree rivers, butting and bounding north-east by Vincent Simons, and William Hart's lands, and vacant lands, and north-westward by land late of George Haig, deceased, and vacant land.

Two hundred acres, in Craven county, on a branch called Cabbins-branch, on the north side of the Congaree-river, butting and bounding to the southward on land of John Pearson, and on all other sides, on land vacant at the time of the original grant.

One hundred and fifty acres, on the north side of Broad-river, bounding to the eastward on land laid out for John Hunt, to the south-west on Broad-River, to the north-west and north-east on land vacant at the time of the original grant.

Fifty acres in Saxagotha town-ship, on a branch called Sandy-run, bounding to the south-eastward by the said branch, and on all other sides by land vacant at the time of the original grant.

Two hundred and fifty acres on Cloud-Creek, bounding to the south-eastward part on land laid out to John Curlin, and part vacant, and on all other sides by land vacant at the time of the original grant.

Ninety-one acres, being part of one hundred acres on Santee or Congaree-River, opposite to Saxagotha town-ship, bounding southward on the said river, northward by land of John Edders, and eastward by land of Peter Poole.

The original grants and plats may be seen in the hands of

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

STRAYED or stolen from the Subscriber,

the 19th of May last; two Horses, the one a large grey, 14 Hands high, with a lofty Carriage, and a Blenheim in one Eye: Branded on the near Shoulder thus J F, with another large Brand unknown, he formerly did belong to Butcher Cuffy. The other a stout sorrel Horse, about 13 Hands high, with three white Feet, and a Blaze in his Face: Branded J F on the Shoulder, on another Part T O, and in another Place G, and a large Scar on the off Side of the Neck, I bought him of George Bussy. Whoever will bring the said Horses to the Subscriber, or give Information where they may be had, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and on the Conviction of the Offender, Fifty Pounds.

Will-Town, June 2, 1766.

JOHN FABIAN.

WILLIAM ADAMS of Lynch's Creek;

informs me of a bay Gelding having strayed into his Inclosures, 14 Hands high, about 10 Years old: Branded on the near Buttock with TE joined together. The Owner may prove his Property at Blackmingo before

DAVID FULTON, J. P.

St. James, Santee, June 3, 1766.

MR. Peter De Champ informs me of the

following strayed Horses, viz. a dark Bay, about 13 Hands high, with a Star in his Forehead: Branded on the mounting Shoulder I D, and on the off Shoulder I with a Flower-de-luce, on the off Buttock TAP in one.

Also a white Horse about 14 Hands high: Branded on the mounting Shoulder and Buttock with a Figure of 5, and on the off Shoulder C.

Likewise a light Bay, about 14 Hands high, without any Brand.

PAUL DOUXIAINT.

TO be hired out by the Week or Month.

A very sensible Negro Wench, who is a good Cook, Washer and Ironer. Also, a neat Wench, that has been used to House and Needle-work. Enquire of CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-street.

WANTED upon Interest immediately,

about One Thousand Pounds Currency; for which sufficient Security, by Mortgage of Negroes, will be given. Enquire of Charles Crouch.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby gives this public Notice to all those who are indebted to him, that unless their several Accounts, &c. &c. are paid off by the 28th Instant, they will after that Day, find them in the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be sued for, without further Notice.
Charlestown, June 1, 1766. DANIEL CANNON.

THE IMPORTER, by JOHN EDWARDS & Co. in the Midway, Joseph Harrington, Master, from Liverpool, and other the best Teas from England;

LOAF sugar, an assortment of womens, boys and girls shoes, a large quantity of choice white and coloured negro cloth, Irish linens, checks, ornaburgs, and most other useful articles, suitable to the season, which will be sold on very reasonable terms. Also a double reflecting Telescope and Microscope, to be sold at prime Cost and Charges.

THE Stock of GOODS on Hand, of BREWTON and SMITH, is now selling off at eight for one ready Money, and nine for one payable next Winter.

As their Co-Partnership will expire in a few Months, they request all those whose Debts have been long due, to discharge them very soon, and prevent their going into the Hands of a Lawyer.

ISAAC DE COSTA, and **THOMAS FARR**, junior, of Charlestown, Merchants, having assigned all their Estate and Effects to Peter Manigault, and Miles Brewton, in Trust, for the Payment of all such of their Creditors, in Proportion, as shall give in a just and true Account of their respective Demands, on or before the first Day of July 1766. They are to desire all Persons indebted to the said De Costa and Farr, either as Partners, or on their private Accounts, before the first Day of July last, to pay the same, and those to whom the said De Costa and Farr are indebted, are desired to give in their Demands to the said PETER MANIGAULT, MILES BREWTON.

THE Subscriber being under an indispensable Necessity of collecting in his Debts with the greatest Expedition, in Order to satisfy his Creditors, who have been hitherto very indulgent to him, gives this public Notice to all concerned, that every Debt due to him, and not paid by the first Day of July next ensuing, will positively be sued; and he hopes none will take it amiss, as they must know he cannot carry on his Business with that Satisfaction to the Publick, he always hopes to do, unless he can get paid by his Customers for the just Disbursements and Trouble he is at on their Account.
ROBERT DILLON.

JOHN STEVENSON, INFORMS his Friends and Customers, that he is removed from King-street into Queen-street, near Dean's Square; where he carries on his Business of Painting and Glazing, as usual, and hopes for a Continuance of their former Favours.

FRESH Raisins, and the best of White Wine Vinegar, fit for Pickles, to be sold by JOHN ROFFE, at his Shop in Elliott-street.

On Tuesday the 24th of June Instant, will be sold at public Vendue, at the usual Place, in Charlestown;

A Plantation or Tract of Land, containing 100 Acres (being the Easternmost Part of a Tract of 300 Acres) situate in the Limits of Amelia Township; bounded at the Time of the original Grant, to the North-east on Santee River; Southeast on vacant Land; Southwest on Lands held by Mrs. Sable; and Part on Lands of the said Township, late the Property of Benjamin Spurlock, and sold under Execution, by ROGER PINCKNEY, P. M.

To be sold, on Wednesday the 25th Day of June next, at the House of William Saltredge;

ALL the Estate of William Ellis, junior, deceased. All Persons having any Demands against the Estate of William Ellis, junior, are desired to make them known, and all Persons indebted to the said Estate are desired to settle by the Day of Sale. WILLIAM SALTREDGE, Administrator, LYDIA SALTREDGE, Administratrix.

DRIFTED or stolen, about the 22d of May last, from Mr. Scott's Ferry, a CANOE, about 21 Feet long, three and an Half Feet wide; rows with four Oars; has very roomy Stern Seats; her Outside painted with Tar and Spanish Brown, her Inside with red Paint. Whoever can give Information, so as she may be got again, or will deliver her to Mrs. E. Scott, at said Ferry, shall be generously rewarded.

TO be hired out, as a Wet-Nurse, by the Month or Year, A very sensible, honest, industrious Molatto Wench. Enquire of the Printer of this Paper.

ROBERT ADAMS, RETURNS his most sincere Thanks to those few of his kind Customers who have punctually paid and assisted him; and requests the Favour of all Persons that are any ways indebted to him to make speedy Payment, so that he may be enabled to comply with the Demands of his Creditors; and as he proposes to continue no longer in Town upon Expenses, than to settle his Affairs, he hopes that all those concerned with, without Distinction, pay a due Regard to this last Notice; for although his ill State of Health for six Weeks past prevented his waiting on them in Person, he has sent in many Accounts, but very little Regard hath been paid thereto.

He has to dispose of very reasonable, two Hogsheads of Orange Juice, gathered last Winter before the hard Weather.

SAMUEL MCGILL, of Prince-Frederick Parish, informs me of a stray'd black Horse, about 13 Hands high, with a Blaze down his Face, branded on the mounting Shoulder Ar
PAUL DOUSSAINT.

A Large Copper Kettle, small Brass Kettle, and a large Brass Stew Kettle, with a Cover, to be sold cheap. Apply to CHARLES CROUCH.

RAN away, on the 26th Instant, from my Plantation at Goose-Creek, an Irish Servant Man, named WILLIAM M'FEERON, he is about five Feet eight Inches high, 20 Years of Age; Had on when he went away, a Thickset Coat, striped Flannel Waistcoat, and Breeches. He took away with him, a ferral Horse, 13 Hands high; branded on the mounting Shoulder I O, newly docked and trimmed. Whoever delivers the above Servant to me, or the Warden of the Work-House, shall receive Ten Pounds Reward. THOMAS BURLINE.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid carrying off the above Servant. May 30, 1766.



STRAYED or stolen from Charles-Town, about the middle of March last, a bright bay natural pacing gelding, with a black list from his withers to his tail, about 14 hands high, and branded on one of his shoulders J A H in one. Also a natural pacing chestnut gelding, with a blaze on his forehead; about 13 hands and an half high, and branded R A. FIVE POUNDS reward will be given for the delivery of each of the said horses to the subscriber at his plantation at Tooboodoo, or to CATO ASH, in Charles-Town; and if stolen, FIFTY POUNDS will be given for discovery of the thief, when convicted. RICHARD COCHRAN ASH.

Goose-Creek, May 29, 1766.

STRAYED into my Plantation at Goose-Creek, an ordinary black Gelding, about 13 Hands high, and a Star in his Forehead: Branded on the mounting Shoulder O, with a Brand under it, not to be made out.

Likewise a small dark roan Mare, about 12 Hands and an Half high, with a large Blaze down her Forehead: Branded on the mounting Buttock, with an obscure Brand. The Owner of Owners may apply and prove their Property before HENRY SMITH.

Charlestown, May 30, 1766.

TAKEN up at Murray's Ferry, Santee; a grey Gelding, 12 Hands and an Half high, a Switch Tail, and trots: Has an obscure Brand on the off Shoulder something like ----- The Owner must prove his Property before JOHN TROUP, J. P.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation, consisting of three tracts of land; beautifully situated on Waccamaw-river, about seven miles from Georgetown, either by land or water, containing 62.4 acres, old measure; the tract on the neck runs from river to sea, has some good sea-shore indico land on it, a good new dwelling-house with two brick chimnies, and other out conveniences; the other two tracts are swamp land; one island just across the river, containing by estimation about 170 acres of as good lands as any in the province, late the property of Dr. Alexander M'Dowall, deceased. Whoever inclines to purchase, may see the deeds and titles in the hands of Thomas Godfrey in George-Town, and treat with GEORGE-GAB. POWELL,) WILLIAM ALLSTON,) Execrs. THOMAS GODFREY,)

Charlestown, June 1, 1766.

I URSUANT to the Directions of the Act for regulating the Assize of BREAD, I have enquired the Price of FLOUR, and find that made in and imported from the Northern Colonies to be at Five Pounds per 100 lb. and that made in this Province at Four Pounds per 100 lb. at which Prices the Half Crown Loaves must weigh, when Flour is at Five Pounds per Hundred Weight.

White 2 lb. Wheat 3 lb. Household 4 lb. At Four Pounds per Hundred Weight.

White 2 lb. 9 oz. Wheat 3 lb. 12 oz. Household 5 lb. JACOB MOTTE, Publick-Treasurer.

St. John's Parish, Berkley County, May 24, 1766.

THE Owners of the following strayed Horses may have them, by proving their Property, and apply to the Subscriber.

An old black trotting Gelding, near 14 Hands high: Branded on the mounting Shoulder thus 25, has one hind Foot white.

And old red roan Gelding, that both paces and trots, near 14 Hands high: Branded on the mounting Shoulder I, and on the Buttock, something like K, or X, has a few Nails in his Hoofs, as if he had been shod.

A grey Gelding, trots and paces a little, with black Mane and Tail, 13 Hands high: Branded on the mounting Shoulder with a Stirrup Iron.

A black Gelding, 23 Hands high: Branded on the neck Shoulder and Buttock, something like I A, in one Piece.

A ferral Gelding, four Years old, 12 Hands high, with a small Blaze down his Face: Branded on the Buttock, but not to be made out by any Letter or Figure; he trots, and can pace a little.

A brown bay Gelding, about 13 Hands high, has several Sore on his Back, and Blindish in one Eye: Branded on the Buttock W. HENRY RAVENEL.

CHARNOCK & KING,

WELL now sell off any Part of their remaining Stock, at Nine for One. Credit to the first of January, 1767.

Among which are a few rich Silks, some fine Irish Linens, printed Gown Patterns, Calicoes, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD, A LOT of Land, on the West Side of Meeting-Street, containing in Front 45 Feet, and in Depth, 297 Feet. Enquire of HENRY PERONNEAU.

TO be hired out by the Month, or four Months, a sober Negro Wench, that can cook, wash and iron, or do House Work. Enquire of the Printer of this Paper.

TO BE SOLD, exceeding good Hand pick'd INDICO SEED, fresh beat-out, and warranted to be good. Apply to STEDMAN & BOOMER.

Afternoon, May 26, 1766.

STRAYED or stolen from Charlestown, on the Night of the 27th Instant, a black, stout, well-made Horse, upwards of 14 Hands high, has one hind Foot white, and a bald Face: Branded on the off Shoulder R; has another Brand, which cannot be recollected; trots extremely well, being entirely a Chair Horse. As he was bred to the Northward, it is supposed he will make that Way.

Likewise strayed or stolen, at the same Time, and from the same Place, a white Horse, 14 Hands high, trots and paces, is of the Chickaw Breed: Branded something like c P in one. Whoever will deliver the above Horses to Mr. John Ward, in Charlestown, shall have TWO DOLLARS Reward for each Horse. PETER LUGER.

Charlestown, May 30, 1766.

RUN AWAY from the Subscriber, about twelve Months ago, a slim Negro Fellow, named JACOB, of the Sugar Country, about five Feet eight Inches high, and has worked sometime at the Wheelwright's Business: Had on when he went away, a Jacket and Breeches of white Plains. Also a stout, thick, black Wench, named MARY, formerly the Property of Mrs. Boone, well known in Charles-Town, where she is supposed to be harboured: She is sometimes hired out as a Nurse, and other Times attends the Markets. Also a stout, well made, black artful Felllow, named WILL, has a very thick black Beard: Had on when he went away blue Clothes. FIVE POUNDS Curancy Reward, and reasonable Charges, will be paid to any Person that apprehends and delivers either of the above Run-aways to me in Charles-Town, or to the Warden of the Work-House, or at my Plantation at Pompon or Indian Land: And THIRTY POUNDS will be paid for either of the above Fellows Heads, by JOHN MITCHELL.

N. B. Whoever harbours any of the Slaves above mentioned, may depend upon being prosecuted with the utmost Rigour of the Law.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very agreeable, pleasant, and profitable Plantation, or Tract of Land, containing 117 Acres, on Charles-Town Neck, bounding to the Northward on Lands late of Childermas Croft, Esq; deceased, to the Eastward on the Broad-Road, to the Southward on Lands of Mr. Bullard, and to the Westward on Ashley-River, late belonging to Bransill Evance, Esq; deceased.

Also, A very valuable Tract of Land, on the Branches of Coofahatchee and Chuleyfinney Creeks, in Granville County, containing 3000 Acres, formerly surveyed for Thomas Elliott, Esq; deceased, and afterwards the Property of Mr. Robert Oswald, deceased.

Also, Part of a Lot of Land in St. Michael's Parish, Charles-Town, fronting on Church-street and Longitude Lane, with the new Buildings and Improvements thereon, which now let at £. 460 per Annum. For further Particulars, enquire of CHARLES PINCKNEY.

St. Stephen's Parish, May 30, 1766.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons indebted to the Estate of RENE PEYRE, deceased, on open Account, and Notes given for Interest due on Bonds, and the Interest due otherwise, to pay the same immediately: Those who have Demands on the said Estate, and on the Estate of PETER ROBERTS, by Virtue of Orders given by the said deceased, are desired to send in their Accounts attested to receive Payment. As this will be the only Notice given, it is hoped that all Persons concerned will pay due Regard thereto. As those who neglect to comply with this Request, will find their Bonds, Notes, and Accounts, in the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be sued for without Distinction. JOHN GAILLARD, Executor.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

ERKEN HERON, of the Province aforesaid, who is in the Custody of the Provost-Marshal, by Virtue of a Writ of *Capias ad Respondendum*, at the Suit of Robert Smith, having petitioned their Honours the Chief Justice, and his Associates Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors. It is ORDERED, That the said Robert Smith, and all others to whom the said Petitioner is any wise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned and have Notice, to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Sessions, which shall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted. D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Phar-Office, 15th May, 1766.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on John's-Island, the 23d of May last, a well-fett Negro Fellow, named JEMMY, Carolina born, he has a blotched Brand on his right Buttock, formerly the Property of John Toomer: Had on when he went away, a blue Negro Cloth Surcoat, and Ornaburg Trowsers; as he has a Brother at Mr. Joseph Elliott's, it is possible he may be harboured there; as he is a very sensible Fellow, he may pass for a free Negro. Twenty Pounds will be given for taking him alive, and Fifty Pounds for his Head.

ANTHONY MATTHEWS.